

Conflicting laws repealed.

SEC. 3. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed as far as they apply to Buncombe County.

SEC. 4. This Act shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified, this the 12th day of March, 1941.

H. B. No. 620

CHAPTER 262

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE AND THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE JOINTLY TO MAINTAIN A POLICE RADIO AND IDENTIFICATION BUREAU AND TO CREATE A COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER THESE ACTIVITIES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Creation of City-County Radio and Identification Bureau Commission, Asheville and Buncombe County.

SECTION 1. There is hereby created in Buncombe County a commission to be known as the "City-County Radio and identification Bureau Commission," which commission shall assume custody and control of all of the police radio equipment now owned by the City of Asheville and County of Buncombe in connection with the police radio system now in operation, and shall also assume custody and control of all records and equipment held by the present city-county bureau of identification, and hereafter the said commission is empowered, authorized and directed to operate as a joint activity of the City of Asheville and the County of Buncombe a police radio system and a bureau of identification.

Custody and control of equipment, records, etc., of two units.

Membership of Commission.

SEC. 2. Said commission shall be composed of the duly qualified and acting Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners for Buncombe County, City Manager of the City of Asheville, Chief of Police of the City of Asheville and Sheriff of Buncombe County, who shall serve as members ex officio of said commission without additional remuneration, and neither the commission nor the members of said commission shall jointly or severally be liable for any act or omission of the commission or any of its agents or employees.

Power of Commission to administer police radio and identification bureau.

SEC. 3. Said commission shall have full power and authority to provide for and administer an adequate police radio and bureau of identification in the County of Buncombe and the costs thereof shall be borne jointly by the City of Asheville and the County of Buncombe, each paying one half.

Costs of operation.

Power to employ, discharge and fix salaries of personnel.

SEC. 4. Within the limitations hereinafter set forth, said commission shall have full authority to employ, discharge and fix the salaries of the personnel necessary to conduct the activities herein authorized and shall have full authority to purchase necessary equipment.

Duty of Commission to anticipate operating costs and to submit budget requests.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of said commission, on or before the first day of each July, to make a survey and anticipate the